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Examiner: Charanjit Aulakh
Group Art Unit: 1625
Applicants: Alex Aronov et al.
For: INDAZOLINONE COMPOSITIONS USEFUL AS KINASE
INHIBITORS

March 27, 2006
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the September 26, 2005 Office Action in the above-identified application. Applicants have concurrently herewith submitted a petition to extend the time for a reply by three month(s), up to and including March 27, 2006, and have authorized the Director to charge the applicable fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3).¹ Consequently, this reply is timely submitted.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin at page 90 of this Reply.

¹ With the extension of time, a Reply was due March 26, 2006, which was a Sunday. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7(a), the Reply may be filed on the next business day.